

DREAMT THAT FRENCH STEAMER WOULD SINK; WOMAN REFUSED TO SAIL WITH HER

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Saying that she dreamed the French line steamer Touraine, which sailed for Havre today, would go down at sea, Marie Fenelli refused to go aboard the vessel, although every effort was made to induce her to change her mind. With her husband and several children, Mrs. Fenelli was to have sailed for their old home in Alessandria, Italy, where they intended to spend their remaining days. Her husband's friends tried to drag the woman on board, but she resisted desperately and when the La Touraine sailed away the woman with her flock of children and an angry husband was still standing on the pier.

GOVERNOR HUGHES EMPANELS JURY TO HEAR EVIDENCE IN THE HAINES CASE

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Gov. Charles E. Hughes, in a letter received today by District Attorney Darsen of Queens county, stated that he would empanel a special Grand Jury to hear evidence in the case of the Haines Brothers, accused of the murder of William E. Aronson. The Governor also said he would select a judge to preside. The District Attorney announced that the jury would probably sit about September 9.

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REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION MEETS

SOLDIER MURDERED

Three Hurt In Fire at the

CONGRESSMAN KNOWLAND WAS HELPED BY THE OPPOSITION AT HANDS OF W. H. PAYSON

Abe Leach and W. R. Davis Resent the Actions of This Lincoln-Roosevelt Representative.

Payson Did Not Represent Anybody but Himself—The League Not Against Congressman Knowland and Berkeley Is for Senator Perkins.

The action of the Berkeley delegation in the Congressional convention yesterday is the general subject of conversation in political circles. The general comment is to the effect that the action of the eight delegates, led by W. H. Payson, was of decided benefit to Congressman Knowland. It brought to his defense two of the most able and sincere members of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League—Hon. W. R. Davis and Abe Leach.

Both of these gentlemen joined the reform organization with a sincere desire to better political conditions, and they most strongly resented such tactics as resorted to by the false reformer from Berkeley, who attempted to use the name of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, and was promptly called down by those in authority to speak for that organization.

LEACH ANGRY AT THE ACTION

Mr. Leach declared that before he joined the Lincoln-Roosevelt League he had a practical understanding with the State organizer, Chester Rowell, that the league was not opposed to Senator Perkins or Representative Knowland. Mr. Leach was very indignant that Payson, pretending to represent the league, should attempt to give the impression that the league was opposing the re-election of either Perkins or Knowland.

PAYSON HIMSELF THE "MINORITY"

Those who compose the committee on platform and resolutions declare that Payson, who is the only member on the committee who increased as a result of the action of eight of the Berkeley delegates, agreed to present no minority report. This statement is vouched for by the members of the platform committee, including such men as Abe Leach and J. W. Evans. Notwithstanding this fact, Payson attempted to make a minority report on the floor. One of the most amusing incidents in connection with Payson's antics occurred when he was endeavoring to speak and points of order were being made against him. Representative Knowland arose and asked the convention to allow him to be heard. The convention acquiesced, whereupon Payson declared that he opposed the endorsement of Gillett, Perkins and the Congressman.

HE IS REPUDIATED BY MR. ELSTON

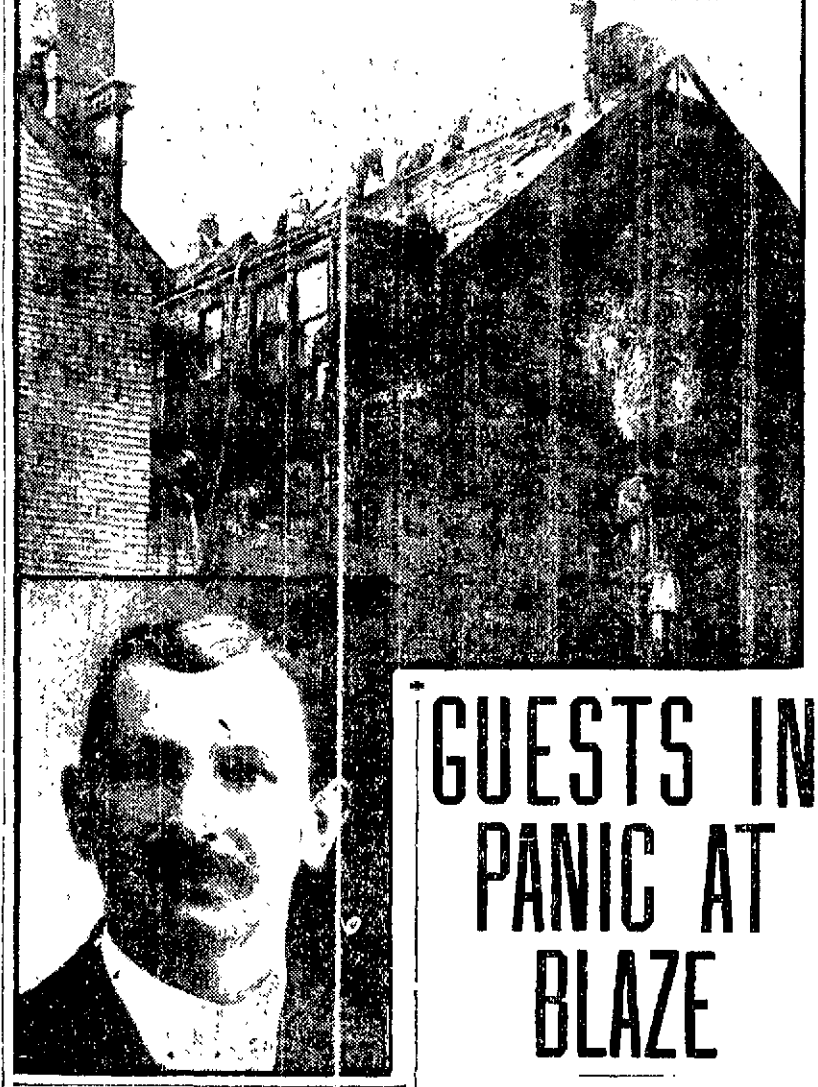
Not only was Payson called down by members of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League on the floor of the convention, but the gentleman he nominated for Congress, Mr. J. Arthur Elston, has issued a statement in which he vigorously repudiates the action of the Berkeley leaguer. Mr. Elston's statement is as follows:

"While I do not desire in any way to attempt to discredit Mr. Payson's action, it would be unfair to myself unless I should say that I had no knowledge of what he intended to do. Had I been informed I should not under any circumstance have permitted my name to be used as a candidate for political office. I am not an office-seeker. Such interest as I have taken in politics is that of a citizen trying to do that which will help to better public affairs. In so far as I have been made to appear as a candidate for public office I regret that my name was used before the convention."

Indignation was aroused in Berkeley at the action of the Fifty-second Assembly district convention in pledging its Assembly nomination to Mr. Elston.

Key Route Inn

View of Key Route Inn Which Was Gilded by Fire, Taken by TRIBUNE Photographer While the Firemen Were Fighting the Blaze. The Portrait Is That of William Sagehorn, Fireman, Whose Arm Was Broken.



GUESTS IN PANIC AT BLAZE

DR. PHILLIPS IS NOW IN JAIL

Is Surrendered to Authorities By His Bondsmen.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—Dr. W. S. Phillips, indicted by the Federal Grand Jury at Chicago for alleged fraudulent use of the mails was surrendered by his bondsmen last night and is now lodged in the county jail. He was at liberty under \$5000 bonds. Phillips is accused of selling property which he did not own.

FOUND IN A DARK ALLEY

Was Drugged and Robbed of Valuables.

Military Authorities Will Aid Police in Running Down the Man's Murderers.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—An element of deep mystery surrounds the death at 7:15 o'clock this morning at the Harbor Emergency Hospital of Norman Gregory, a private in the 14th Coast Artillery, who was picked up five hours before in an unconscious condition in a dark alley but a stone's throw from the Barbary coast.

He notified the Harbor police station, and Officer T. Casey came to the scene in the patrol wagon. He found that the man's hat was missing, but a few feet away his army overcoat was piled up. He was removed to the Harbor Emergency Hospital, where Dr. Pinchard worked over him for two hours. Although the man was in such a weakened condition that it was impossible to tell just what was wrong, the surgeon detected the odor of morphine and believes he was suffering from poisoning caused by that drug.

HAD BEEN MURDERED. At 7:15 this morning he died without regaining consciousness. The absence of his hat and the fact that he had neither money nor other valuables in his pockets would seem to indicate that the young soldier was the victim of robbers, who drugged him with morphine in order to render him powerless to defend himself. Detective Tracy was detailed to make an investigation at 9:30 this morning and his report will be made known by tonight.

Gregory was still practically a recruit, having only enlisted on April 4 at Fort Douglas, Utah. His mother, the only parent mentioned in his enlistment papers, lives at Warren, Ill.

The army authorities will co-operate with the police in endeavoring to learn whether Gregory was murdered, accidentally took too much morphine or deliberately committed suicide.

Sec. Metcalf Will Go East Tomorrow

Concluding his annual summer vacation in California, Secretary of the Navy Metcalf will return to Washington tomorrow. He will be accompanied by his wife, who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Nicholson, 1321 Linden avenue.

LEADERS FROM ALL SECTIONS OF STATE ARE IN ATTENDANCE

Delegates All Proclaim Loyalty to and Prophecy Election of Senator Perkins.

Called to Order by P. J. Teller and Then the Delegates Are Welcomed to Oakland by Mayor Mott—Largest Attendance on Record.

The Republican State convention for the purpose of nominating ten electors from the State of California assembled this afternoon in the Liberty Theater and was one of the most largely attended gatherings of delegates which ever attended a function of the kind in this State.

Every county in the State was represented and among the men who occupied the seats were some of the best known Republicans in the commonwealth. Not a few have been connected with the party from the time they cast their first vote, and among these there are many who had sworn the party politics of their sires and espoused the cause of humanity and progress.

HAS RECORD ATTENDANCE. As a general thing, a State convention which has allotted for it only the duty of selecting electors to vote for the presidential and vice-presidential nominees does not attract the attention of State gatherings which have imposed upon them the duty of naming a full list of State officers to be voted for by the people. There was an exception to the general rule this time for the reason that throughout the State the greatest interest is taken in everything appertaining to the coming campaign, the governing idea being to show conclusively that the Republicans of this State, regardless of the stories to the contrary which have been circulated by enemies of the organization, is loyal to the core for the standard-bearers of the party, Tatt and Sherman.

WOMEN MARCH TO CONVENTION With New Banner Asking for Suffrage From Republicans

Women from every part of this State are crowding Oakland today en masse to the one vital point of securing a plank for "Woman's Suffrage" in the platform of the Republican State Convention.

Leaders of the movement from every section are to be seen. Their yellow badges are the open sesame. They are being taken seriously and accorded every welcome and every comfort and hearing.

THEIR SUFFRAGE PLANK. A carefully planned program of speechmaking was carried out and this resolution presented to the Republican State Convention for adoption as a plank in the platform.

THEIR HEADQUARTERS. Oakland is filled today with the women of the California Equal Suffrage Association wearing the yellow badge of their association.

The organization is opened headquarters at room 270, in Bacon Block, where at 1 o'clock was presented a beautiful

The Suffrage Plank the Women Have Asked For. The Republican party of the State of California favors the submission of the question of the extension of the suffrage to women to the voters of the State.

FOR INDIGESTION Take Horsafor's Acid Phosphate. Especially recommended for the relief of indigestion and nervous prostration.

WANT BANK RECEIVER OUSTED

Startling Accusations Are Made Against Judge J. V. Coffey and E. J. Le Breton in Affidavit Filed in S. F.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Startling disclosures were made in an affidavit filed today by Sam Salomon of the firm of Salomon & Botes in the proceedings before Superior Judge J. V. Coffey regarding a claim for preferred credits said to exist against the defunct California Safe and Trust Bank, in which it is claimed that Judge Coffey is personally interested in the affairs of the defunct California Safe and Trust Bank, and that he is related within the third degree of consanguinity, computed according to the rules of law, to other interested parties; that he is a party to an action pending before him in which he is, nevertheless, sitting in a judicial capacity, and that the petition cannot for these reasons, be heard in an impartial hearing before him.

FIRM FORCED TO WALL BY COMPANY

So Says Exchange Operator in Speaking of Failure of Brown Concern.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—"The Standard Oil and Mexican interests marked the firm of A. C. Brown & Co., for slaughter," said a prominent stock exchange operator today, "because those interests found an anti-gambling measure would be passed by the legislature and practically kill their big plunging operators in the State. They want to pose against gambling and take a high and mighty attitude. You will see the firm in ten minutes the great in an effort to ruin a public man that Wall Street means on gambling."

YOUNG GIRL DIES WHILE IN THE OPERATING CHAIR

Passes Away Under Influence of Chloroform.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Aug. 27.—Belle Shaw, 27 years of age, it was known society girl of this city, died last evening in a dentist's chair of paralysis of the heart, while under the influence of chloroform. The physician who administered the drug has been absolved of all blame by the young woman's family. The girl had gone to the dentist to have some teeth extracted and requested that the drug be administered. When the serious effects of the anaesthetic were noticed two additional physicians were summoned, but failed to save her life.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR LATE THOS. JONES

The funeral of the late Thomas Jones was held yesterday afternoon from the James F. Taylor undertaking parlors. Rev. Danie of the Welsh Presbyterian Church, conducted the services. A quartet composed of Mrs. John Worthington, Mrs. Evans, E. W. Jones and Professor Meredith sang "Come Ye Disciples" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." At the grave the services were under the auspices of the Old Fellows.

BASEBALL PLAYER IS IN CRITICAL CONDITION

SAN JOSE, Aug. 27.—Pitcher Partlett of the Arizona baseball team, who was hit on the head three weeks ago by a pitched ball in a game with a San Jose team, was removed to San Francisco yesterday, where an operation will probably be performed. His condition is critical.

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nee against the re-election of Senator Perkins, which indignation has increased as a result of the action of eight of the Berkeley delegates yesterday.

BERKELEY IS FOR SENATOR PERKINS

A prominent Berkeley Republican who attended the convention yesterday declared that it was time that the fool-killer got busy in the college town.

"Our city," he declared, "is gaining a reputation throughout the State as a city infested with political cranks, which impression is entirely false. It is time that the conservative Republicans of our city got together and took such action as will dispel this impression." It is stated that W. H. Payson, who led the Berkeley revolt, has been, up to very recently, a Democrat, leaving the party of Bryan to join the Lincoln-Roosevelt League.

DR. MEHRMANN'S POSITION

Dr. H. B. Mehrmann will be chairman of the Republican county central committee. This has been decided by those in power. It was stated in THE TRIBUNE last Saturday that Dr. Mehrmann made strenuous efforts to keep the race track plank out of the platform of the Republican county convention. This statement was a mistake. Dr. Mehrmann declares that he had nothing whatever to do with the platform, as he was not a member of the committee. He states that an injustice has been done him in this regard. Dr. Mehrmann says he is not a candidate for mayor, as he cannot afford to give the office the time required. Dr. Mehrmann says that the mayor ought to give at least three-fifths of his time to the city.

HELPING THE REGULARS' VICTORY

The following article is from the Berkeley Reporter, and is interesting in showing the factors that contributed most largely toward the success of the winning faction in this county at the recent primary election:

"If it had not been for the Oakland city administration and the local corporations, the league would have had to be satisfied with a portion of Berkeley.

"The entire machinery of the Oakland city administration was thrown into the fight for the league, from Mayor Mott down to the humblest street sweeper. It might also be mentioned that the streets of Oakland are today cleaner than ever before, and that hundreds of men were put at work prior to the primary election, and they were put at work in the doubtful districts.

"The public service corporations that need favors from the city of Oakland—the water company, gas company and street car company—were all with the league. On the other hand, the Southern Pacific Company was with the regulars.

"It was not a triumph of league over regulars on strict lines, but a triumph of the Oakland city administration over the county administration, and the Oakland city administration did not lose any tricks which it could turn, from putting men at work on the streets to putting the heads out on the stump.

"And so the tiger has swallowed the canary and principle is again subordinated to practical politics—only under a different name."

TWO DEAD, THIRD SEEKS THE OFFICE

Moyer Asks New Keeper of Animals to Tempt Fate in Seculsion.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—Emmett H. Rice has been appointed to a municipal position that has resulted in the death of his two predecessors in office—that of animal keeper of the Eastlake Zoo. Herman Gersen, who last held the place, died a few weeks ago from the effects of an attack by a man-eating tiger, and a former keeper succumbed to the bite of a rattlesnake. Rice has the reputation of being fearless almost to the point of foolhardiness with the occupants of the cages, and in making the appointment Mayor Rice spoke of Rice's going into the cages and holding boxing matches with the lions and tigers. The Mayor suggested that if he wanted to place his life in jeopardy in this manner he must do it while no one was around to be horror-stricken at possible consequences. Rice told the Mayor that he had married recently and was a little more careful of his health than formerly.

"NO STRINGENCY," SAYS U. S. TREASURER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—"New York banks do not think there will be any stringency in the money markets this fall and winter," says Charles H. Treat, United States Treasurer.

They have their views on the fact that Southern and Western banks are not making as great demands as usual for the crop-moving period now close by.

It is estimated that from \$200,000,000 to \$250,000,000 above normal demands of business is needed during the crop season, and the fact that the Southern banks have come into a good supply of cash in the last few months lessens the demand considerably.

WEATHER FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—San Francisco and vicinity: Fair tonight and Friday, with fog; fresh west wind. Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair tonight and Friday; light north wind. Sacramento valley: Fair tonight and Friday; light south wind. Southern California: Fair tonight and Friday; light east wind, changing to west.

ARREST FOLLOWS AFTER DISCHARGE

Defective Complaint Necessitates New Charge Against Attorney Corson.

Owing to a defect in the complaint against H. L. Corson, charged with the death of his two predecessors in office—that of animal keeper of the Eastlake Zoo. Herman Gersen, who last held the place, died a few weeks ago from the effects of an attack by a man-eating tiger, and a former keeper succumbed to the bite of a rattlesnake. Rice has the reputation of being fearless almost to the point of foolhardiness with the occupants of the cages, and in making the appointment Mayor Rice spoke of Rice's going into the cages and holding boxing matches with the lions and tigers. The Mayor suggested that if he wanted to place his life in jeopardy in this manner he must do it while no one was around to be horror-stricken at possible consequences. Rice told the Mayor that he had married recently and was a little more careful of his health than formerly.

TO GIVE IRISH PATRIOTS ROUSING AMERICAN WELCOME

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Irish-American residents of New York, under the leadership of the municipal assembly of the United Irish League of America, are making arrangements to give John Redmond and Joseph Devlin, members of Parliament and leaders in Ireland's struggle for liberty, a rousing reception when they arrive in this port aboard the Oceanic on September 17.

It has been decided to tender the two statesmen a reception in the Hoffman House on the evening of September 18.

The principal demonstration in which the public generally will participate will be a mass meeting and reception in the Majestic Theater on Sunday, September 21. A number of addresses will be made.

WHEN your stomach is weak take a few doses of the Bitters. Delay only makes matters worse. It is excellent as a tonic and will prevent Headache, Dyspepsia, Cramps and Malaria.

BE SURE TO ASK FOR HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

BRYAN WILL TALK ON BANKS

Democrats' National Campaign Manager Says His Party Will Surely Win Next November.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 27.—William J. Bryan and his party, including Theodore A. Bell, arrived in this city from St. Louis this morning. Bryan was greeted at the station by T. T. Crittenden Jr., mayor of Kansas City. The party left at 10:40 a. m. for Topeka, where Bryan will appear tonight on "Guaranty of Bank Deposits."

In view of the action of the Republican State convention of Kansas in endorsing the guaranty of bank deposits, Bryan announced shortly after his arrival that it would be necessary for him to make some addition to his speech at Topeka tonight.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—With the Democratic campaign west of the Alleghenies in full swing, Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, returned here from the West today to establish headquarters and to inaugurate the campaign in the East. The New York headquarters will be formally opened on Saturday, and in the meantime Mack will arrange for the Eastern organization.

"The elements of doubt in the coming election are being rapidly swept away by the strong drift of the country toward Democracy, and I feel absolutely confident of the election of Bryan and Keim," said Mack.

Speaking of campaign funds, Mack said:

"I am not worrying about finances, and there is no danger for money. The finance committee has supplied me with all the money that is necessary and I have ordered supplies and everything needed to run the campaign. Our funds come mostly in small contributions from the masses of the people and we are gathering much money this way."

NEARLY KILLED BY MAN'S BLOW

Woman Refuses to Surrender Key to House and Is Felled With Tomato Can.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—Because she refused to surrender the key to her house, upon which her rent had not expired, Mrs. Dora Rapoport is lying at the point of death today as the result of being struck on the head with a can of tomatoes, and August Daniels is under arrest accused of inflicting the injuries.

Jacob Rapoport, the woman's husband, swore to a complaint against Daniels, who owns the house from which the Rapports recently moved. Mrs. Rapoport refused to surrender all her furniture and that the rent did not expire until September 1. Thereupon Daniels flew into a rage and struck the woman on the head with a can.

Officials Await "Tex" Rickard

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Up till late this afternoon neither "Tex" Rickard nor E. A. Kosta had been seen in the city to clear the mystery surrounding the sale of Mrs. Kosta in her apartment at 1681 Octavia street yesterday. Jailer and morgue officials are awaiting their arrival in order to complete their investigations of the mysterious case.

"Affinity" Earle Released on Bail

GOSHEN, N. Y., Aug. 27.—Ferdinand P. Earle, the artist who was arrested on a charge of wife beating and who refused to give bail at the time of his arrest, was released today on \$1000 bail given by himself and his brother. Earle said he intended to return to his home in Monroe, N. Y.

Labor Party to Hold Convention

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—The State convention of the Labor Party will be held Saturday night at the Building Trades Temple, Fourteenth and Guerrero streets. The convention will be called to order at 8 p. m.

PRESIDENT OF ECUADOR HAS HEART FAILURE

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Aug. 27.—President Alfaro, according to public rumor, is suffering from a serious attack of heart failure, which may prove fatal at any moment.

The president arrived here Monday from Quito in search of a change of climate. His physicians issued a bulletin yesterday saying that he had been benefited and that they believed that with a fortnight's rest he would be able to return to the capital and assume again the duties of chief executive. The report of the doctors, however, is considered over optimistic.

MOTHER INJURED FIGHTING FIRE IN CHILD'S CLOTHES

Little Boy Fatally Burned by the Flames

(Special to THE TRIBUNE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Webster Vandewater, 4 years old, was fatally burned, Mrs. Vandewater was badly hurt and Mrs. Katherine Doyle was slightly injured as the result of a fire in the basement of the Vandewater home at 3713 Seventeenth street at 11 o'clock this morning, caused by children playing with matches.

The little boy, together with a number of companions, found a bunch of matches. The little Vandewater boy's clothing was set fire.

The mother heard her boy's agonized shrieks and rushed downstairs to find him enveloped in flames. Without

regard to her own safety, she tore the burning clothing from him, thereby setting her own dress on fire. One of the children had summoned Mrs. Doyle, who dashed water on the flames and smothered the fire with a blanket.

An ambulance was summoned and all three were removed to the Central Emergency Hospital. Webster Vandewater was horribly burned from neck to foot, the face of the little boy being made practically unrecognizable. Mrs. Vandewater received severe burns of the head, face, arms, hands and chest, while Mrs. Doyle was burned but slightly on the arms and hands. The mother and child were later taken to the Lane Hospital.

MRS. J. KRUTTSCHNITT VISITING IN ARIZONA

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Julius Kruttschnitt and Miss Rebecca who are en route to this city, are spending a few days in Morenci, Arizona, with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kruttschnitt Jr., whose baby daughter is now a week old.

John Callous will leave next Monday for New York on a business trip, expecting to be away two weeks.

Mrs. Charles Sutro returned Tuesday from Carmel-by-the-Sea, where she has been the guest the past week of Miss Alice and Miss Mac Cowdery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sterling, who are spending the summer in their estate in Carmel-by-the-Sea, will not return home until October.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick McNear have an informal dinner Tuesday evening at their home in Menlo and entertain Mr. and Mrs. George Almer Newhall, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Bringle and Mr. and Mrs. Norris Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. William McGuire have taken an apartment at the St. Xavier.

Miss Alberta Touchard, who for several weeks has been the guest of Mrs. Jane Huntington in Berkeley, is spending this week with friends in Berkeley.

Miss Eleanor Cushing and Miss Helen Baker have returned to their home in Marin county, after making a short visit to Miss Claire Nichols.

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INNOCENT MAN IN JAIL FOUR DAYS

Finally Freed From Husband

Bookkeeper Accused of Felony Released When Accuser Finds His Mistake.

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Claiming that he had made a mistake in preferring charges against Norbert E. Lloyd, his bookkeeper, Alfred W. Pike, president of the Pike Hardware Company, went to Judge Shortall's court at noon today, and requested that Lloyd, who is charged with felony embezzlement, be immediately released from custody. The man was arrested on Sunday, the charge being the misappropriation of \$41.70.

Being unable to furnish bail he was forced to remain in the city prison, although protesting his innocence. Pike said today that he had an expert on the books and that the \$41.70 was accounted for. He said he regretted that he had an innocent man imprisoned. Lloyd was released on his own recognizance by Judge Shortall, and when the case comes up on Friday it will be dismissed.

Exiled Colonel Laughs at Test

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—A special from Wilcox, Ariz., says Col. William F. Stewart, the artillery officer who is exiled at abandoned Fort Grant, is greatly pleased at the order from the war department for him to take the horsemanship test of a 8-mile ride.

"I want to take the horsemanship test," said Col. Stewart. "I can do 30 miles in twenty-one hours, or any other distance that horses can carry me."

Col. Stewart is 59 years old, but in excellent health. He says the fact that he was not given a saddle horse at Fort Grant has been one of the hardships and intimates that he can ride a horse easier than some officers can sit in upholstered chairs in Washington.

Col. Stewart denies that he has any intention of surrendering and permitting himself to be forced out of the army. He still has over two years to serve at desolate Fort Grant.

SONOMA DEMOCRATS CHOOSE CANDIDATES

SANTA ROSA, Aug. 27.—Democrats of Sonoma county assembled in convention here yesterday nominated Emmet Saxwell and Allison B. Weaver for assembly; Thirteenth district; L. W. Juilliard, Fourteenth district; and for supervisors, as follows: First district, Blair Hunt; Third district, William Barnes; Fifth district, W. H. King.

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BECKER COMPLETES PLANS FOR LAND CASES

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—For the purpose of making final preparation for the trial of the alleged Oregon land fraud cases which are set for trial in Oregon October 10, Tracy W. Becker, special assistant to the United States Attorney General, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday. He will leave for the last part of this week. Dr. David M. Goodwin, one of those held here for removal to Oregon for trial, is still in a hospital and is not able to go.

FREE TO THE AFFLICTED

Do not further introduce the DRS. BOLTEY & LOBAY. We will give to all sufferers who call this week FREE TREATMENT UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST, positively making no charge for our services. Our cure is our best advertisement. When you are cured you will naturally recommend our treatment and the benefit will be mutual.

If you have a cough or catarrh, dropping in the throat, ringing noises in the ears, headache, stoach, liver, kidney troubles, signs in the back, or limbs or "weakness," you are invited to call. This liberal offer is only good until August 31st.

A TALK ON CATARRH.

Catarrh of the head causes deafness. Catarrh of the head causes blindness. Catarrh of the head causes Catarrh of the Stomach causes Cancer of the Stomach causes DEATH.

Write, 10 to 4, Wednesday and Saturday to D. K. Consultation free.

DRS. BOLTEY & LOBAY
1018 WASHINGTON ST.
Cor. 11th, Oakland, Opp. Hale's.

WALONEY HEARING IS OFF

No Explanation Was Made When Annulment of Marriage Case Was Thrown Out.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—A hearing which has been set for today on the motion calendar for a final annulment of the marriage of Helen Maloney of Philadelphia to Arthur Osborne of this city, was indefinitely postponed. The case was marked off the calendar of the court without explanation. A referee has recommended that the marriage be annulled.

ABSENCE OF FIG LEAF CAUSES WAR

Superintendent Drapes Figure With Tags and Artist's Objection Meets Stony State.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 27.—High art in china painting, or the art of the expression of the female form divine in flesh colors on a background of glazed porcelain, has stirred up a tremendous war in the fine arts building of the State fair.

T. C. Logan, of Whitehall, superintendent of the fine arts building, is the Anthony Comstock, and Miss Elizabeth Sheets, a Des Moines china artist, is the offending exhibitor.

Because of the lack of the historical figure of drapery illusions on Miss Sheets' woman figures on coffee urns, brush and comb tins, powder boxes and whatnots, Mr. Logan had entry tickets awkwardly take their place. That caused the war.

Miss Sheets protested that the beauty of the outline should not be marred by any cardboard device or such makeshift. Her tears and voluble protests have been met by a cold stare of refusal, she says, and she has no alternative but to submit to the decision of the judges.

ENTIRE OREGON TOWN IS ON FIRE; \$100,000 LOSS

Disastrous Blaze Rapidly Destroying Lane, Idaho.

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 27.—For eleven hours the people of Lane, Idaho, have been fighting the flames which threatened to destroy their property. At noon today it is believed the fire is checked and the damage is over. The fire started about midnight in the mill of the Lane Lumber Company. The Lane mill, the drayline and a large portion of the lumber co's store, and an Oregon Railroad and Navigation section house and one dwelling were also destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$100,000, fully insured.

EXPENDITURES TO DEPEND ON THE PUBLIC

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—We haven't spent a dollar since we were not obliged to spend during the year and our future expenditures will depend entirely on how the country is going to treat the railroads, said Theodore T. Shonts, president of the Alton and Clover Leaf Railroad, last night when questioned concerning what the railroads would do in the way of employing men and contributing to the prosperity of the country.

Mr. Shonts is here on a tour of inspection.

"We have not laid a ton of steel during the year," Mr. Shonts continued. "It is true I bought one thousand steel cars for the Alton, but we had to buy them. On Friday at the 'Rome gathering' in Centerville, Iowa, my native town, I am going to make a speech giving my views on how the railroads ought to be treated. I tell you the future depends much on this statement."

MANY NEW BUILDINGS ARE TO BE ERECTED

Following is the weekly report sent out of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce:

Cleanings: This week \$13,410.92.

Building permits: New and alterations, 43 permits at \$104,480. Alterations, 43 permits at \$342,820. Total, 73 permits at total cost of \$113,338.80.

WAREHOUSE COLLAPSES AND Buries Four Men

SAN JOSE, Aug. 27.—A warehouse containing hundreds of tons of cement collapsed at Anson State Hospital yesterday burying four workmen, who were afterwards rescued, unharmed. The underpinning gave way and the huge structure fell flat.

HON P S TELLER,
Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, Who Called
the State Convention to Order Today.



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MAYOR MOTT S WELCOME

OAKLAND FEELS PROUD
 "A tremendous amount of pride in the fact that we have a paramount—the first—black woman in the city of Oakland to represent a group of people with this profound respect in mind of the formalities involved in the action to be taken by this convention. I feel that our city is to be congratulated that here

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A sketch of a person's head and shoulders, facing right. The drawing is done with dark, expressive lines. To the right of the head is a vertical line, possibly representing a wall or a door frame. The background is filled with horizontal hatching lines.

SEVERAL CONVENTIONS TO BE HELD TONIGHT

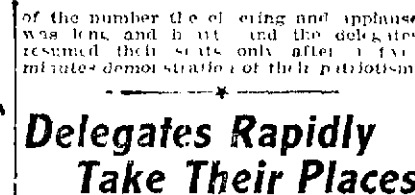
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The Hills quartet made a decided hit in the graduation celebration of the popular music the Good Old Summer Music Festival, which the various candidates and their supporters to election were introduced by the names of Earl and Shamus and their knowledge were applied enthusiastically that the singers were expected to step again and again in

A beautiful scene was presented in Yaferty theater this afternoon as the students of the Peckham State convention sang in the first selection played by the band. It was a melody of Anne's and the first strains of the County of the South were sounded. The students in the theater arose and sang and stood while the beautiful melody rang through the auditorium. The students of the convention band and the orchestra were waving the above and of the instruments could be heard the sweet voices of hundreds of voices. The music was a beautiful song in the beautiful harmony. At the end

A political cartoon by Phil Witte. It depicts a parrot, representing the L.R. League, hanging from a scale. The scale's beam is labeled 'VOTE OF STATE CONVENTION' and '454 TAFT REPUBLICANS.' The parrot is labeled 'L.R. LEAGUE' and has a speech bubble saying 'I TALKED TOO MUCH.' The cartoon is signed 'WITTE' in the bottom right corner.

WITH APOMOGIES TO THE LOS ANGELES TIMES



Little time was lost by the delegates, therefore, in making the designation of places and in no minute after Chairman L. of the Republican State Central Committee had tapped for order, there was a silence in the auditorium in which the delegates could have been heard to hear a Republican convention of such representative character never assembled before.

The delegates were seated according to congressional districts the assembly districts in one of those congressional districts being signified by cards bearing the names of the several counties. On the most northern section of the theater were quartered the delegates of the First Second and Third Congressional Districts. In the center section were those of the fourth fifth and sixth congressional districts and in the northern sections were the delegates of the seventh and eighth districts.

Patent Alarm Goes off in Bank and Rings for an Hour, Terrified Residents Looking on.

BIRMINGHAM, Aug. 27—There was thrilling buncle scare in West Bank last night when the patent alarm in the W. St. Berkeley hotel went off and started the night men running from beds and Oakland rushed to the spot to see officers Kelly and Nelson calling for volunteers to search the building. The excitement grew as the alarm continued to sound and soon everybody within the hotel was on the alert. After a half of the west end was searched, the bells ceased to tinkle but the buncles remained invisible. The last in (recess) Third men and terrified w

Government Is to Pay for the Damages

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27—In accordance with the provisions of the act of Congress passed on May 3 providing for granting to certain employees of the Government compensation for injuries sustained in the course of their employment, the Postoffice Department has issued a circular requiring a report on all accidents happening within August 1. The employees of the mail law and the mail receiving shops are the only ones in the Postoffice Department entitled to compensation, but the Bureau of Commerce and Labor is gathering complete statistics on accidents to civilian employees of the Government reports must be made covering all offices and employees of the Postoffice Department.

Three sets of forms have been issued for these reports, one for injuries occurring in the course of official duty where the injury is such as to prevent the injured person from reporting for work for one day or longer, another when a person who has been reported disabled returns to work, and a third for cases not occurring either immediately or within one year after an accident has been reported.

WOMEN ASK FOR SUFFRAGE

(Continued From Page 1.)

gent Mrs. Mary Fairbrother, Mrs. Sellha Solomon.

MRS. PINTHER SPEAKS

The women were all in order by Mrs. Coffin who introduced Mrs. Pinter, who made the following brief presentation to the central Suffrage committee.

Mrs. Coffin and Ladies I place this banner in your hands and hope it will lead you to rights and success.

To which Mrs. Coffin, replied

'Ladies, I wish that I could find words to express the pleasure I feel in accepting this beautiful emblem and trust that it may lead us to victory and ever be in the line of our cause and I also hope Miss Sperry will be an standard bearer through years of service.

SINCERITY IN WORK

Mrs. Sperry responded:

I accept this banner and trust that it will lead us to victory and that it may be the means of convincing the citizens of our country to meet our responsibilities.

SEATS ARE GUARDED

Three rows of seats were reserved at the playhouse for the women wearing the yellow badge. Through the courtesy of Chairman Andrews of the committee of arrangements the seats are guarded by three arguments it aims who are in sympathy with the Suffrage movement. The first row of the visiting parties to attend the convention tomorrow. Fraternity girls are also interested and will form several parties to attend tomorrow.

Miss Lila Clayton Clark of San Francisco, the guest of honor, will be in the center of the first row wearing the badge of the association, at the head of the procession.

Many of the delegates to the convention brought their wives and seated them in the seats reserved for the suffragists. Upon learning the reason for reserving the seats one delegate said to

Come right away, don't you get mix d up with those suffrage women." While waiting for the convention to open many and varied were the conversations carried on by the women. Everything was discussed from Christian Science to the latest style in hats. Mrs. Cullen chairman of the entertainment committee devoted her time on the floor lobbying with the delegates.

den inside pictured visions of them attempting to shoot their way to freedom through the scores of people that were congregated about the corner of San Pablo and University avenues.

RUSHES IN AUTO.

Two miles away at 7115 Leroy avenue in North Berkeley the telephone bell called Casler H H Camper out of his sleep to tell him that the safe had been damaged and the funds of the bank were being hurriedly gathered up. Camper hurried as fast as an automobile would take him to the scene of the wreck to find that the alarm was doing a tryout stunt on its own accord. When the electric apparatus had been adjusted the people went to town and the police department was called from its panic. The alarm rattled for fully an hour.

GENERAL IS HIS STATISTICS

Pay for the Damages

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Bernardo was attempting to ignite the oil burners beneath his ovens on Fourth street preparatory to making bread. A flaw in the mechanism caused a sudden and unlooked-for flare-back, which struck the unfortunate baker squarely in the breast. The flame spread over his face and arms, burning the flesh to a crisp. Attracted by the cries of the injured man the proprietor of the bakery rushed to the basement and turned off the heater. He then hurried Bernardo to the Receiving Hospital, where Steward Borchert immediately swathed his burns in soft bandages soaked in ice water. A minute after the accident afterwards made an examination of Bernardo's injuries and recommended his removal to Providence Hospital.

CHIN CHUNG OF "CHUG CHUG" MUST GO HOME

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—In a decision handed down by Commissioner Williams of the Federal Court, in the case of Chin Chung, a Chinese, who was arrested with six of his countrymen when the automobile in which they were being brought from the Mexican border to Los Angeles broke down near Santa Ana, Cal., it is held that the celestial was illegally in the United States and ordered that he be deported. Attorneys for the Chinese gave notice of appeal and say they will carry the case to the higher court. The other Chinamen were deported.

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The Renomination of Knowland.

In accordance with the wishes of nine-tenths of the Republican voters of the Third district, Hon. Joseph R. Knowland has been renominated to Congress for the fourth time. For the last ten years the district has been represented with signal ability and efficiency. At no time has it been more ably represented than at present. Never before has a candidate more deserving of the confidence and esteem of the people at large been presented to the electorate of the most intellectual constituency of California, never a candidate who has more richly earned the respect of his fellow men or more fully justified the expectations of his friends and supporters; nor a man more faithful to his constituents and the obligations of patriotic citizenship.

Republicans can point with pride to the personal character of their nominee, and to his record in Congress with the heartiest approval. No one has ventured to question either. No one has accused him of dereliction to his duty as a public servant or delinquency in private life. With every pledge faithfully redeemed, he stands before his constituents with clean hands and an untarnished record, a fine type of the younger citizenship of the land and a loyal exponent of the principles on which the Republican party was founded.

Ripened in experience and more matured in his powers, Mr. Knowland has mastered the intricacies of national legislation and gained the good will of the leaders of both parties in both houses of Congress. He is therefore better qualified than ever before to successfully serve his constituents. In the past he has been notably successful in the future he will be more so. He has broadened in mind, expanded in knowledge and strengthened in character. Combining amiability of temper with firmness of decision and devotion to the public welfare, he possesses a strong grasp on public affairs that enables him to achieve results which would be impossible for a newer and less experienced man. And his loyalty to the interests of his district and State has been demonstrated in such a signal manner as to silence adverse criticism.

Moreover, Mr. Knowland has been identified with Alameda county and the Third district all his life. From childhood he has grown up among the people who sent him first to the Assembly, then to the State Senate, and lastly to the Congress of the United States. No act of his life is concealed. No part of his career is unknown. Clean manly, wholesome, vigorous and intelligent, he is keenly interested in public affairs, and from the day he entered public life has striven in behalf of better laws and better conditions. Could a more ideal or more worthy candidate present himself for the suffrages of his neighbors and fellow-citizens?

But Mr. Knowland's retention in Congress is in pursuance of a larger and wiser policy than the mere endorsement of an honest and popular man by his neighbors. He is now equipped by training, character, talents and experience to give the Nation as well as his State service of great value. He has become a valuable legislator whose efficiency cannot be approached by any pretence hand. In him capacity and experience are combined with an aptitude for legislation, industry and a genuine solicitude for the public weal. In sending him back to Congress, his constituents contribute to the dignity, ability and integrity of the national legislature; they are assisting the people of other States to make Congress more potent for the public good and more patriotically devoted to the interests of the republic.

Don't Count on Wright.

The Tennessee Democratic papers scoff hilariously at the suggestion that Secretary Wright can carry the State for Taft by taking the stump in his behalf. They say General Wright will merely appear in the light of paying for his job by begging his neighbors to vote against their principles. There is something in that. Moreover, the genuine Republicans of Tennessee do not relish the idea that a Mugwump Democrat holding a cabinet office in a Republican administration is of more account than they are. They are not a bit flattered that Taft's hopes of carrying Tennessee should be pinned entirely on General Wright's military coat. For our part, we think efforts to capture Tennessee for Taft are more rainbow-chasing. Carry the big tier of States north of the Ohio, reaching from the Atlantic to the Missouri river, and there won't be enough left of Bryan to figure as good-sized fragments. Office-seeking Democratic renegades from the South have never delivered the Republican party any electoral votes. McKinley carried Kentucky and Maryland because the conservative business men of those States would not stand for Bryan's financial heresies. Missouri voted for Roosevelt because an immense body of Democratic voters in that State would not accept Parker and the reactionary program his candidacy represented. In neither case did place-holders lead a desertion into the Republican ranks. General Wright is doubtless a good man, but his appearance on the stump as an advocate of Taft's election would subject both him and the Republican candidate to a certain amount of suspicion. If Wright were holding no office but were practicing law as a private citizen in Memphis, does anyone believe he would go out on the stump to advocate Taft's election? The people are not fools. A hole in a grindstone is to be seen by anybody. It is our belief that Wright will injure instead of helping the Republican cause by taking the stump for Judge Taft. His position is too anomalous, his motive too obvious for his arguments to carry conviction. A sneering reference to his job will shatter everything he has to say.

"Everybody knows it," says the Sacramento Bee with dogmatic emphasis. Everybody does not know it; on the contrary, what the Bee says everybody knows is precisely the question in dispute. But the Sacramento Solomon proceeds to enter a plea of guilty on behalf of the accused despite protests and to deliver sentence as if the inquiry were acknowledged. Merely saying everybody knows it is not conclusive proof or proof of any kind. It is merely dogmatic assertion that merely raises a new basis of contention. However, the Bee has become so wedded to the practice of basing its conclusions on admissions never made by its adversaries in debate that it usually prefaces its expressions of opinion on the statement that everybody knows this or that to be true or is undeniable, whereas the contrary is the fact whatever may be the merits of the controversy. This method of polemical discussion is obviously unfair, but it imposes on many shallow minds nevertheless.

The country will breathe easier now that John W. Kern has been notified of his nomination to the Vice-Presidency. The surprise of watching to see how he would take it was growing acute. There is nothing more to the business till the wind blows through his whiskers in November.

The Plot Against Knowland.

The public is now in a position to judge of how much dependence was to be placed in the assurance given by some of the spokesmen of that organization that the Lincoln-Roosevelt League was not hostile to Congressman Knowland and had no intention of superseding him in Congress. It was vehemently asserted that Mr. Knowland was entirely acceptable to the league and had nothing to fear from it. While the sincerity of William R. Davis and Abe P. Leach is not open to question, it is clear that they spoke without their host in denying hostility to Knowland. Had the league elected a decisive majority of the delegates to the Congressional convention, Knowland would have been turned down for renomination precisely as Rowe was. Davis and Leach might have protested as hard as they pleased, but they would have been powerless to arrest the progress of the machine they have helped build up, but which they are not allowed to steer. The demand that Knowland abandon his friends and trust his fortunes to his enemies was itself evidence of Punic faith. The action of the Berkeley contingent in refusing to endorse the Congressman and putting up a candidate against him revealed the real purpose of the league. It is power, not principle, that the Spreckels organization wants; the offices, not reform. The alliance of the Lincoln-Roosevelt organization in San Francisco with the keepers of dives, deadfalls, gambling hells and bagnios shows the absence of moral purpose, while the tricky devices resorted to in other sections of the State evidence the design to obtain political control by fair means or foul. The State University had no better friend in the Legislature than Joseph R. Knowland when he sat in that body. His record in Congress is unassailable, yet it is clear that there was a scheme on foot to treacherously supplant him all the time an effort was being made to lull him and his friends into fancied security by siren assurances that were honest enough on the lips of the men who publicly gave them, but which the men in control of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League movement had no intention of respecting. The junta of bosses in control of the league had formally resolved on the defeat of Knowland. As they did not dare to openly oppose him, they tried to accomplish their end with treachery and deceit. Claiming to favor his renomination they endeavored to elect delegates to the State convention instead of the delegates chosen by himself and his friends. Had they been successful the pledges of William R. Davis and Abe P. Leach would have been repudiated and Knowland's scalp would today be dangling at the belt of George C. Pardee. Mr. Davis is learning something of the true character and purposes of the men with whom he has so strangely allied himself.

Bryan continues to vociferate that Taft holds to political theories different from those advocated by the Demo-Populist candidate. Precisely; and that is why Taft is going to be elected by such a big majority.

WANTS TO KNOW WHY PART OF ORDINANCE IS DROPPED

H. N. Morse complains of New Street Law

HARRY N. MORSE has sent the following communication to the City Council:

To the Honorable City Council, Oakland, California:

General A. I. respectfully desire to call your attention to the failure of the City Council to enforce the ordinance No. 2497, which was passed and became a law September 23, 1906. This ordinance was intended to be repealed, and I am informed by the City Attorney that the ordinance No. 1949, which was approved and became a law June 12, 1907.

Ordinance 2497 is all in favor of certain corporations, and is not only seriously detrimental to the public interest, but also to the property owners of our whole city. Ordinance 2497 bears upon its face a gross violation of the rights of property owners in this. Ordinance No. 1905, which was repealed by ordinance 2497, contained the following section:

WHY WAS IT LEFT OUT?

"Section 2. Upon the passage by the City Council of a resolution of intention to improve any public street or place by macadamizing or reconstructing the same or by constructing thereon a pavement of any description, it shall immediately become the duty of the street superintendent to notify all persons, firms or corporations known to be exercising the right or privilege of laying pipes, conduits or any description in the public streets and places to lay all main pipes or conduits, also all lateral or service connections needed for present or future use to the inner curb line of the street, and to repair all existing pipes in the public street or place to be improved within twenty days from date of notice."

There is no such section in ordinance 2497. Why did the place of ordinance 1905? Why and at whose instance was this section left out of the new ordinance?

CANNOT BE TOLD.

I am prepared to go to large expense in opening up and macadamizing streets along the line of my property in East Oakland, but do not care to do so for the reason that just as soon as the street work is done, along will come the water and gas companies and commence to dig up and utterly destroy the symmetry of the highway, and that, too, without the consent of the property owner. It is my duty to pay the expense of the street building while the corporations never contribute one cent toward the same. In other words, these arrogant corporations "know the streets" out of our streets and then smile at you when you complain of their vandalism, and ask you, "What are you going to do about it?" I am of the opinion that the owners of property have some rights which the corporations should be forced to respect, and for that reason I respectfully suggest, and request, that your honorable body amend ordinance 2497 so that it contain a section identical with section 2 of the ordinance 1905 which was repealed by ordinance 2497.

FIRE PROTECTION.

While I am about it, I may as well call the attention of your honorable body to the fact that the water company of Oakland, in utter defiance of ordinance 2497, is putting in water mains less than four inches inside diameter. We of Peralta Heights have no water protection against fire, only a two-inch main, and often at that. Of course, if one's house should

burn down the water company would be held for the damage, but only at the end of a law suit, which is not pleasant and is expensive. Whose fault is it that they are permitted to so flagrantly disregard the law? Section 369, page 700, general laws of California, relating to municipal corporations reads: "It is very plain, so it seems to me, what the duties of the water company are toward the property owner. It reads as follows:

MUST GIVE SERVICE.

"Section 759. All gas and water pipes laid in any paved, macadamized or graded street must be of sufficient capacity to afford a free supply of gas or water for the estimated necessities of such street, and the district to be supplied by such pipes, for a period of not less than five years from the time of laying the same; which estimate of necessity and capacity shall be made by the city engineer, and approved by the council. It shall be the duty of the council, by ordinance, to prescribe regulations for the laying of gas and water pipes in the public streets. This the City Council has done by ordinance."

WANT REMEDY.

Our city ordinance prohibits the water company from putting in water mains less than four inches inside diameter, yet two-inch diameter water pipes have recently been put in the streets on Peralta Heights. We would like to know who is to blame for the water company being permitted to violate this ordinance. If a fire should occur it would sweep every building off the heights as there would not be sufficient water to save them. We residents of Peralta Heights request your honorable body to inquire into this matter and then apply the remedy."

HARRY N. MORSE, Corner Bancroft and Newton avenues, East Oakland, Cal.

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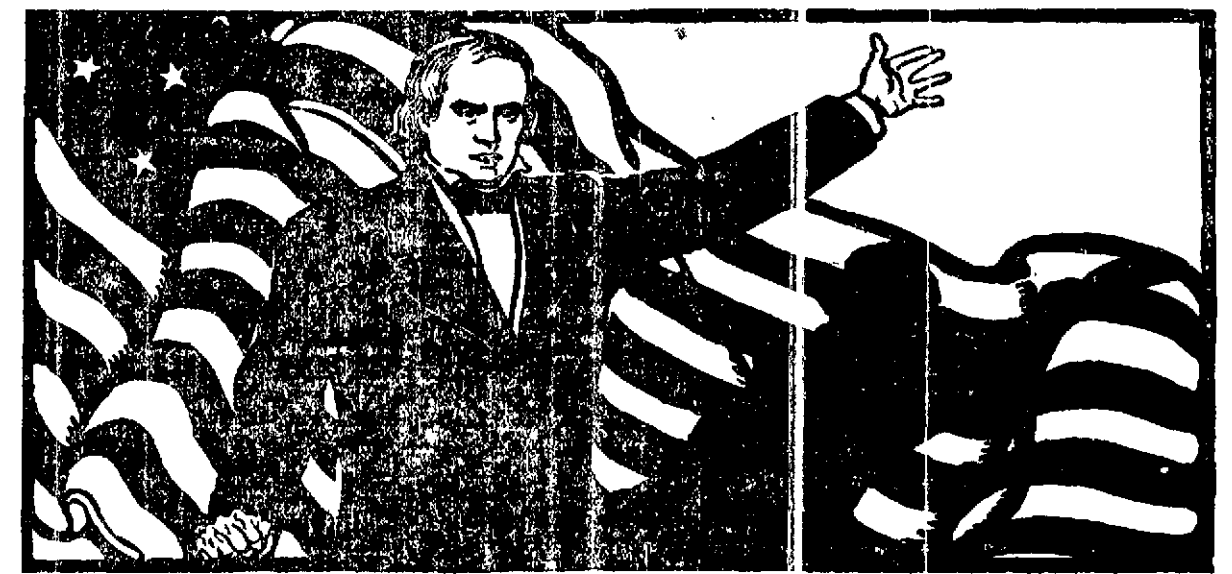
JANUARY 1, 1868, deposits.....\$ 65,656
JANUARY 1, 1878, deposits.....\$ 1,471,082
JANUARY 1, 1888, deposits.....\$ 2,713,935
JANUARY 1, 1898, deposits.....\$ 5,136,667
JANUARY 1, 1908, deposits.....\$17,859,777

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The Age of a Bank

is in a certain sense a proof of its merit, of its fitness to survive. But when the bank has kept pace with the years, moving steadily forward and upward in the front of the procession, the proof is still more positive.

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Daniel Webster.

DESCENDED from a stern unbending race of Puritan Pioneers and Indian fighters, this colossal personality ("With eyes of power and Jove's own brow") was born in the village of Franklin, N. H., where his father kept a roadside tavern, and where his intellectual development began.

The principles of "Liberty and Union, now and forever, one and inseparable," so eloquently enunciated by him, in after years served the arm of Lincoln, flashed from the blades of Sheridan, and glinted from the bayonets of Grant.

And some of his most memorable orations were delivered in taverns and at public banquets, where the delicious juices of the barley fields gurgled cool and invitingly from a thousand bottles; filled every bumper glass, and delighted his own palate; developing within him, force and energy, intellect, eloquence, mind and soul.

REFERENCES: Biography Henry Cabot Lodge, page 340. Private Correspondence—Little, Brown & Co., pages 178, 179, 185, 214.

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SEEK JURY FOR RUF TRIAL

Hearing of former Political Boss on Bribery Charge in Connection With Trolley Franchise Is Begun.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—The work of impaneling a jury for the trial of Abraham Ruf, former San Francisco political boss, on a charge of bribing ex-Superintendent John J. Purv in connection with the United Railroads overhead trolley franchise, was begun before Superior Judge William T. Lawlor this morning. The defendant is represented by the formidable array of counsel who defended him in his last trial before Judge Dooling, in which the jury disagreed. Attorneys Henry Ach, M. C. Chapman of Oakland and Frank J. Murphy.

The prosecution was represented by Assistant District Attorney Honey, with the ever-present Bygones, Foley; Attorney John O'Gara and "Gum Shoe" Burns.

McFARLAND INDICTMENT.

The indictment on which the defendant is now being tried was one of those returned by the McFarland grand jury on recommendation of the prosecution subsequent to a number of indictments returned by the grand jury and are known as duplicate indictments.

Attorney Ach, at the opening of the session, secured permission to file a bill of exceptions to the decisions of the court yesterday within ten days after judgment is pronounced.

The following citizens were then called to the box to be examined as to their qualifications for jurors: Victor H. Bonally, James Gulliver, Harrison Harbo, Emil T. Haller, Edwin K. Hurlbert, William H. Barron, Oscar Fisher, Alexander Bond, Louis Kleinhaus, Joseph A. Davis, Matthew D. Moran and Louis Herman.

Henry addressed the jurors, telling them in the nature of the charges against Ruf.

PROMPTLY EXCUSED.

Henry was excused at once as he stated that he was about to leave the city and take up his permanent residence in Shastan county. Louis Herman was excused for business reasons. Before questioning the jurors, Judge Dooling said that he believed the defense should question the jurors first. He gave as his reason that the defense exercises its challenges, and therefore should be allowed to examine the jurors first. Attorney Ach objected to this innovation, saying that ever since California had been admitted into the union the prosecution had always acted first. Attorney Murphy added that in the previous trial the same application had been made and denied by Judge Dooling.

AS TO OREGON.

Honey responded that in Oregon the proceedings were exactly opposite to those in vogue here, and said that the prosecution had a right to discontinue without having to make the first examinations.

ESTABLISHES PRECEDENT.

Judge Lawlor decided the matter after considerable authorities had been cited in favor of the prosecution, thereby practically establishing a precedent in legal proceedings in this city. Attorney Ach, after interposing strenuous objections, was forced to proceed with the examination of Juror James Gulliver of 352 Capp street.

The first round over a list of about ninety names, including the twenty-five detectives in the employ of the prosecution as well as the several witnesses in the present case. The jurors' examination when the noon adjournment was taken.

ARRAIGN BROKER ON FIVE CHARGES

John J. Lynch Still in Jail and Court Takes Bail Matter Under Consideration.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—John J. Lynch, the minor broker, who was arrested in Reno, Nev., and brought to this city to answer to five charges of felony embezzlement, for misappropriating funds placed in his keeping, was arraigned on the complaint preferred against him by the Ocean Shore Railroad in Judge Weller's court this morning.

He was represented by Attorney T. C. West, and after he had been instructed as to his rights, the matter was continued until September 2. Attorney Hiram Johnson has been retained by the Ocean Shore company to continue the prosecution of Lynch, and they objected to the reduction of bail applied for this morning by the defendant's attorney.

The court stated he would take the bail matter under advisement, but he did not think he would be disposed to reduce the sum fixed by Police Judge Cabanis.

4 Inches of Rain Falls in 12 Hours

WICHITA, Kans., Aug. 27.—Rain to the amount of 4.32 inches fell here in twelve hours last night, breaking the previous record, which was 4.07 inches June 21, 1894, in twenty-four hours. The most severe electrical storm the city ever experienced accompanied the rain. Property loss will amount to \$10,000.

MANY AFFAIRS PLANNED TO HONOR OAKLAND GIRL



MISS CARLOTTA AITE WEIR. — Biographic Photo.

Miss Carlotta Weir Will Be Complimented

MISS CARLOTTA AITE WEIR, of 724 Richmond street, left Tuesday for Yokohama to receive the Japanese fleet.

Friends in Palo Alto, where she expects to remain for several weeks. Miss Weir is considered one of the most beautiful girls in Oakland and during her visit she will be the honored guest of many affairs which are being planned for her.

After her visit in Palo Alto, she expects to tour the south part of the State, where she will spend several weeks. Miss Weir is an accomplished musician and is well known in musical circles about the bay.

FESTIVE BANK FORTUNE. IS MADE, SAYS INVENTOR

Was Trying to Act the Part of the Village "Cut Up."

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Henry D. Catrell, receiving teller of the Bank of California, was arrested in Jefferson Square Park at midnight last night by Police-men Cornelius and Lyons, and booked at the Fourth street police station.

He was later released on depositing \$100 cash bail and left the city prison, refusing absolutely to make a statement.

It was learned today however that the officers had discovered Catrell making a nuisance of himself in the neighborhood, and generally "cutting up."

Police-man Cornelius was authorized by the statement that Catrell ought to be arrested, and if an arrest made in the same manner as he did last evening he would book him on a more serious charge.

Denied Hargis Change of Venue

JACKSON, Ky., Aug. 27.—Judge Adams today overruled the motion made by the prosecution for a change of venue in the case of Herr Hargis, charged with the murder of his father, Judge James Hargis, and the case will be tried in Breathitt county.

Will Be Japan's English Ambassador

TOKIO, Aug. 27.—It is believed that the successor to Count Komura as Japanese Ambassador to London will be Baron Makino Nobuaki, former minister of education.

Drives 24 Hours After Having His Leg Fractured

BAKERSFIELD, Aug. 27.—Fred Taylor, a teamster, working between Bakersfield and McKittrick, has given a wonderful exhibition of gameness by driving twenty-four hours without medical assistance, after sustaining a fractured leg in a runaway near Gutter Willow Monday evening. His leg was crushed under a wheel, but he managed to hobble and catch the horses and then drive to town.

JAPANESE RECEPTION PLANS

Every Minute of the Fleet's Time Is Fully Scheduled. Audience With Emperor for the Officers.

TOKIO, Aug. 27.—The program for the reception of the American fleet in Japanese ports has been finished and submitted to Lieutenant Commander John A. Dougherty, naval attaché of the American embassy for approval, but it has not yet been publicly announced, owing to the probability that minor changes will be necessary. The attention is drawn to the fact that the Japanese is shown throughout the program.

ARRIVES OCTOBER 17

The fleet is due to arrive at Yokohama on Saturday, October 17, and that day and Sunday will be devoted chiefly to reception and entertainment in that city. On Monday, October 19, which will be known as American day, the four admirals of the fleet, with their staffs, will come to Tokio. They will be given apartments in the Imperial palace at 8:15 a. m., where Judge Pratt was entertained during his recent visit, and an imperial carriage will be placed at the disposal of each admiral. Official calls will be exchanged on Monday morning.

OFFICERS' RECEPTION.

A luncheon to receive the admirals and their staffs, given by Ambassador Platten at the American embassy, will be followed by a reception to the American officers on the embassy grounds. On Monday night Ambassador Platten will give an elaborate dinner at the Imperial Hotel to the American officers and present Japanese officials.

On Tuesday, October 20, the entertainments provided for the Japanese will continue.

AUDIENCE WITH EMPEROR.

The arrangements for the most minute details for the entertainment of the American officers and men during their stay in Japan have been completed. Each day of their stay will include an audience of the officers with the Emperor and only one occasion to call on the Emperor.

A Japanese squadron will meet the American fleet as it approaches the coast of Japan and will give a grand salute. A Japanese vessel being assigned to each American ship.

START FOR MELBOURNE.

SYDNEY, Aug. 27.—Before the American battleship fleet left Sydney at 8 o'clock for Melbourne, its next stopping place, Admiral Sperry, the commander in chief, sent a letter to Charles G. Wade, Premier of New South Wales, thanking him for the cordial reception and saying that the non-appearance of many of them was a regrettable loss to the Americans, who draw closer the bonds of sympathy and friendship between the United States and the Australian Commonwealth.

After the vessels had cleared the harbor it was found that about eighty strangers had failed to join their ships. These men will not be posted as deserters, as it is thought the non-appearance of many of them was accidental. Fifty of the strangers were embarked later in the day on the Yankton and sailed to join their ships at Melbourne.

RETURNS HOME TO FIND WIFE DEAD

Mrs. H. R. Viner Dies Suddenly From Heart Trouble While Asleep.

Herbert R. Viner, a brakeman in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company, returned to his home at 1311 Thirteenth avenue last night to find his wife dead in bed. Heart disease, for which the woman had been treated for some time, is given as the cause of death. Owing to the fact that she died at the time of her husband's return, it is thought the non-appearance of many of them was accidental. Fifty of the strangers were embarked later in the day on the Yankton and sailed to join their ships at Melbourne.

Mrs. Viner, who was a native of Kansas and 33 years of age, was on a visit to friends last evening, returning to her home at 9:15 o'clock. She had not complained of feeling ill. She retired and is presumed to have died in her sleep. The husband returned to his home about an hour after his wife's arrival.

Burglar Teaches Police Gentle Art of Safebreaking

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Acting Capt. Connell of the detective bureau in Newark, N. J., and several of his men had a practical illustration yesterday at police headquarters in that city of how safe are operated by expert "vegmen" preparatory to blowing them open. The demonstration was Charles E. Williams, alias "Humpty," the leader of the gang of burglars in Newark last Friday night. Williams deftly applied a block to the knob of a safe in the office of the Chief of Police, but his drill in position and prepared to connect the battery with the dynamite. But when the demonstrator desired to insert a charge of dynamite and explode it, he was hastily returned to his cell.

RUNAWAY GIRL IS NOW A BRILLIANT ACTRESS



MARIE DORA.

Now Said to Be a San Rafael Girl Despite Her Own Statements.

San Rafael Young Woman Big Hit

SAN RAFAEL, Aug. 27.—It has been learned here that Marie Dora, the brilliant London actress, is the daughter of Mrs. Douglas Saunders, an aged woman, who resides on Sixth street in this city. Mrs. Saunders lives practically the life of a hermit, shunning all mankind. Eleven years ago Georgia Saunders, now known to the stage world as Marie Dora, disappeared from her San Rafael home. Her father had died shortly before, and she and her mother had had a hard struggle for existence. After the disappearance of Georgia, Mrs. Saunders, overcome by grief, became a recluse, and she has not been seen since.

Five years ago, it is stated, she received a letter from her daughter telling of her success as an actress. Even then she told no one, but her daughter's mother, when the announcement came, told the part of Charlotte in the "Moral of the Marquis," the pride of the mother could not be withheld and she continued in her nervous, and yesterday the secret leaked out.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 27.—Marie Dora is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Smith, who formerly lived in this city but are now in New York. She is a reputation as a brilliant actress here, and she attended the Central High School and attended a session in the city she delivered in amateur theatricals.

SUNDAY LAW IS TO BE ENFORCED

New Jersey Governor Will Call Out Troops to Wipe Out Town If Saloons Are Not Closed.

SEA GIRT, N. J., Aug. 27.—In a startling public proclamation issued today at the summer capital, Governor Port declared that unless the excise law is observed in Atlantic City, which he calls a "saturnalia of vice," on next Sunday, and all saloons and cafes are closed tightly, he will call an extraordinary session of the Legislature and may send the New Jersey State troops to the famous resort, declaring the city to be under martial law.

This is the most drastic action ever taken to enforce a general law in New Jersey.

Governor Port, in his proclamation, ridicules the fables of ten days ago, when a Grand Jury at May's Landing, the country seat, refused to find indictments and says that action was a burlesque, that three members of the Grand Jury were owners of saloons in Atlantic City and that the others were sympathetic with the violators of the law.

WANTS INDICTMENTS.

The Grand Jury now in session, is not likely to find indictments, the Governor declares, and in his proclamation he states that he has affidavits from James C. Heilmann and William T. Winters, stating that they purchased liquors last Sunday in saloons operated by three members of the Grand Jury.

The Governor says he can see but one or two things to do under the circumstances: First, call out the militia and declare the resorts to be under martial law.

This would require an appropriation by the Legislature. Second, ask the special session of the Legislature to enact legislation authorizing him to appoint a disinterested commission to take charge of affairs in Atlantic City. He wants a law authorizing him to remove officers, after a hearing, for failure to perform their duty.

FLOOD AND FIRE IN CITY

Augusta Suffers \$500,000 Damage From Water, Which Sweeps Through Streets and Drives Citizens Away.

AUGUSTA, Ga., (via Harrisonville, Ga.) Aug. 28.—Augusta was yesterday visited by one of the worst floods in its history. The Savannah river began rising rapidly early Tuesday, continuing throughout the day up to a late hour last night, until water from the river and canal surged down the city streets until a depth of six to eight feet had been reached in the territory bounded by Fifteenth street to the west to the extreme eastern boundary of the city.

So far as known three persons have been drowned. The city is in chaos because of the sudden rise of the water and resulting confusion. The flood fell rapidly today, and all danger is considered past.

Two fires were reported in the flooded district.

Lime stored in warehouses coming in contact with the water was said to have been the cause of explosions and fire, which destroyed the Nixon Wholesale Grocery Company's warehouse and the Nixon & Dunforth Cotton warehouse. The fires were spectacular, added to the disaster already in progress, and the people were compelled to stand by and watch the new feature of destruction.

ISSUES FLOOD WARNING.

The local weather bureau issued a flood warning Tuesday morning, saying the river would reach a height of between fifteen and sixteen feet Wednesday evening, by which time it was predicted the river would have reached its highest point. This prediction was conservative by several feet, the river having reached between 40 and 45 feet, the danger line being thirty-three feet.

When the river began to rise people could be seen going about the streets with what little bedding and other articles they could hurriedly gather up and handily carry on their backs. Women were seen with their children in their arms, making their way toward higher places, while the men were driving live stock.

SURROUNDED BY WATER.

Thousands of people went to bed Tuesday night with the thought that they would wake in time to escape from the flood, but greatly to their surprise they awoke to find themselves surrounded by water and cut off from escape except by boat. The cabins and those possessed of boats were quick to see their opportunity and at once began to charge exorbitant prices for moving those unfortunate enough to be caught in perilous positions.

Many people in attempting to wade or swim for their homes or from places of business in the flooded district in points of vantage lost their footing, but saved themselves from the rushing torrent by catching limbs of trees or anything else they could get hold of.

MONEY FOR RESCUE.

It is reported that a number of people were caught in these positions and when the boatmen came near enough to be lifted they refused to go to the assistance of the unfortunate until they were assured of getting paid unreasonable rates. One man was seen in a new who was pouring forth pitiful appeals to assistance and offering fifty dollars to any one that would rescue him.

The police department early established temporary headquarters at the health and drainage department on May avenue, outside of the high water district and patrolmen were placed on boats up to the water line. They made few arrests, however.

At the Western Union Telegraph office, when the water began to rise, many operators left the building for their homes. Five remained, but were compelled to abandon the telegraph office for the Chamber of Commerce building where wires were found still intact. No business was handled, however.

WATER IS FALLING.

At daybreak this morning the weather bureau reported that the water had fallen four and a half inches since midnight.

At the Postal Telegraph office the operator force was compelled to desert where the water reached the top of the operating tables.

The telephone service in Augusta was held up until 7:30 p. m. and finally collapsed.

\$500,000 LOSS.

It is not possible to give an estimate on the final loss resulting from the flood. When it is taken into consideration that every business house, every bank and store was submerged in from four to eight or nine feet of water and nearly all the residence portion, including the fashionable residence district of Great street with all its churches, in from three to six feet of water, it will be seen that the damage is incalculable. Including last night's fire and the cessation of business until the city shall have recovered itself, and also the damage to stocks and goods of all kinds, it is thought that the loss will go well above the half-million mark.

Pennsylvanian Awakes To Find Himself In California

SAN BERNARDINO, Aug. 27.—James E. Gray, a wealthy resident of Twickley, Pa., last night awoke to the realization of the fact that he had wandered nearly across the continent without the knowledge of where he was going. Gray was taken in charge of an officer. At the hospital he stated that he had left home some time ago without any purpose in view and came to himself in a Chicago hospital. After being discharged from the institution, he started for home, but by mistake boarded a train which brought him to California.

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never been called upon to use any
or any artificial physical aid. His desir
this morning was covered with flower
sent to him by his many admirers

Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold
A. S. Nusbaum, Batesville, Indiana
writes, "Last year I suffered for three
months with a summer cold so distress
ing that it interfered with my business
and many of the symptoms of hay

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Very Life Depended on the Result of
Coming Contest---Fistic Gossip.**

held about the middle of September, under the exact date has not yet been determined. The market than is possible in America under the conditions attending racing at present.

Oscar James hung 200 odd pounds of
 voidure in the air in the third to flag
 Oakes' boulder, and that coupled with
 his great pitching so tickled the beach-
 ers that he was given a heart's applause.

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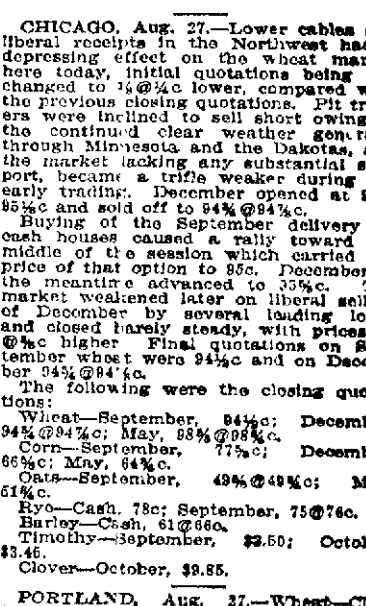
and T. J. LaFerty secretary. A committee consisting of J. A. Wolff, Eugene Brakine and C. Cameron was appointed to act with the president and secretary in drafting rules and by-laws. These laws will be submitted at a meeting of the delegates September 4.

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WHEAT PITS.

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Poultry and Game.
 Poultry (per dozen)—Hens, \$4.06
 small, \$4.06 for large and \$4.50 to \$5.50
 extras; old roosters, \$3.50 to \$4.50; young
 roosters, \$4.50 to \$6.00; do extra, \$7.00
 to \$8.00; 4.50 to \$5.00; large broilers, \$3.50
 to \$4.50; small broilers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; ducks, \$4.00
 to \$5.00; geese, \$1.50 to \$2.00; geese
 1.50 to 1.75 per pair; geese, 1.50 to 1.75
 per pair; turkeys, 24 to 26¢ per lb.
 young and .10 to 23¢ for old.
 Game—Nimral.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.
 Butter—Fresh creamery extras, 25c a
 lb. steady; do firsts, 25c, steady; do
 seconds, 22c, steady; do thirds, 20c, steady.
 Packing stock firm at 20 3/4c for No. 1 and
 9c for No. 2; Eastern extras, 24c, firm.
 Cheese—California fancy flats, 10
 c, steady; do firsts, 9c, firm;
 seconds, 8c, steady; Young American
 2 1/2c, weak; do firsts, 12c, weak; do
 second, 10c, weak; fancy flats, 13c, weak; fancy Youn
 Americans, 14 1/2c, weak.
 Eggs (per dozen, cases included)

California fresh extras, 35c, weak;
firsts, 82½c, firm; do seconds, 26½c,
firm; do thirds, 22c, firm; East
selecter, 21c, firm; do firsts, 21c,
firm; do seconds, 21c, firm; store
extras, 29c, steady.

Beans and Seeds.
Beans (per cwt.)—Baysen, \$2.00 to \$2.10; p.
omilina, 1.90; white, 1.80 to \$2.15; large
white, \$4.30; pink, \$3.10 to .32, \$3.21
-52; butter, nominal; lima, \$4.80 to \$4.90;
red, kidney, \$2.75 to \$2.85; blackeye, \$2.25 to
\$2.35; horse bean, \$1.80 to \$1.95; cranberry
beans, \$2.75 to \$3.10; Garvanus, \$2.15.
Seeds—Brown mustard, \$2.75; yellow
mustard, nominal; wheat, \$2.25 to \$2.35;
cannad peas, anary, 1c; alfalfa, 17c.
Clover, cleaned, 24c; timothy, nominal;
corn, 14c to 15c; millet, 2c (33c a per
cwt.); horse beans, \$1.80 to \$1.95.
Dried peas—Green are quoted at \$2.
25 per cwt.)

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.
Potatoes (per cwt.)—New white, 75c to
alliums for burks, \$1.85 to \$1.90; sweet
potatoes, \$4.25 to 4.50.
Onions—New, 60c to 75c per cwt.
Vegetable—Green corn, \$1.75 to \$2.25 per

sack and \$2.50 per crate for choice and \$1.50 per sack for poor; tomatoes, 50¢ per box; cucumbers, 35¢/50¢ per box; pickin cucumbers, 60¢/\$1.25 per box; peaches, 3¢/4¢ per lb; summer

quash, 40¢@65¢ per box; green pepper
50¢@60¢ per box for bell and 30¢@40¢
for chili; garlic, 6¢@7¢ per lb; cabbage, 65¢
per ctl cauliflower, 65¢@75¢ per dc
turnips, 75¢ per sack; carrots, \$1 p
sack; green okra, 50¢@60¢ per box; e
plant, 50¢@75¢ per box.

Deciduous and Citrus Fruits.
 Strawberries—\$5@9 per chest.
 Blackberries—\$2@4 per chest.
 Raspberries—\$7@10 per chest.
 Huckleberries—10@12 1/2 c. per lb.

Apples (per box) Fancy in 4-tier box
90¢/60¢ common to choice, 40¢/75¢
Raspberries, 26¢/30¢ for small and 50¢/60¢
for large boxes
Oranges and wrapped lots of Bar-
bary's, including mountain fruit, are selling
at 50¢/75¢ per box, while ripe are quot-
ed at 40¢/40¢.

Quinces—60¢/75¢ per box.
Prunes and 30¢/60¢ per small box or crate
or plums; open boxes, 85¢/75¢.
Peaches—50¢/60¢ per box; 50¢/60¢; open
boxes, 25¢/40¢ for small and 50¢/61¢ for
large; carriers, nominal.

Nectarines—65¢/75¢ per box for red.
Figs—50¢/75¢ per box for black and 30¢/40¢

Melons.—Nutmeg melons, 35@75c p
box; cantaloupes, \$1.25@1.75 per crate
intermelons, \$1.25@3 per dozen.
Grapes (crates and small boxes).—See
50@85c; muscat, 40@75c; black,
45c; Fomblenau and sweetwater, 40-
50c; tokay, \$7@11; large boxes, 50c@1.1.
Citrus fruits (per box).—Valencia
oranges, \$2.50@2.50; grandfruit, \$2.25

LEAD AND COPPER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The tea market was dull at 4.57½¢ @ 4.62½¢.
Lake copper was dull at 12.50¢.
Bar silver, 51½¢.

Aug 4, (8)—Celia B. Tuttle owner with
J. Allen contractor, Lot 10 blk D map
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DR. JOSEPH PRICE HONORED AT THE BANQUET BOARD Surgeons Pay Tribute to Leading Specialist

"I thank you for this compliment. It is the finest that I have ever experienced in my life." With these words, Dr. Joseph Price, the eminent surgeon of Philadelphia, who has been the guest of local physicians for several days past, concluded a very interesting reference to some of the most interesting episodes in his professional career and then said farewell to about a hundred of the leading physicians and surgeons of this city, who had gathered around the banquet board at the St. Mark, last night, in his honor.

SOCIAL AND INTELLECTUAL.

The evening was a delightful one, both intellectually and socially, for the reason that there was nothing said that did not show thought and that did not have an uplifting tendency and, at the same time, those who took part in the proceedings were in reality members of a large profession. It was the first occasion since the strongest professional and brotherly and sisterly ties.

CALIFORNIA FLOWERS.

The tables were graced with golden Marguerites and a number of other flowers which contributed greatly to the brightness of the scene and at intervals in the discussion of the menu provided by the management of St. Mark, artists' musical numbers were rendered by the orchestra of the hotel.

QUEST TABLE.

The toastmaster of the evening was Dr. E. M. Keys of Alameda, president of the Alameda County Medical Society. On his right was seated Dr. Joseph Price, of Philadelphia, the guest of the evening. Next on the right and in the order mentioned were Dr. S. H. Rutan, Judge E. W. L. Roberts, J. P. Edick, Dr. W. A. Clark, Dr. H. G. Thomas, Dr. G. C. Pardee, Dr. Frank Adams, Dr. A. J. L. Lennertz, Dr. E. J. Boyce, Dr. M. A. H. Pratt, Dr. M. L. Emerson, Dr. M. L. Emerson.

It had been expected that Mayor Mott and Judge H. A. Melvin would also be in attendance but the former was unexpectedly prevented from being on duty by business of a professional character and the judge was absent because of bereavement in a brother's family.

A couple of hours was passed in the discussion of the menu and in the pleasant interchange of views on various subjects between the guests and the toastmaster. Dr. Price called the attention of the assembly to the fact that he had a complimentary card from the president of the profession and declared that the local members of the profession had an opportunity of meeting a surgeon who was at the head of his line of work in the surgical profession in the country. It also stated that Dr. George C. Pardee was present and that he would ask it to discuss the duties of physicians to the state.

The doctor said that in these, as well as in biblical times, the wise men came from the east and he was desirous of extending to the guest of the evening a cordial welcome, a welcome for which California had never been known. "The days of old, the days of gold, the days of Forty-nine."

He hoped Dr. Price would ever look back and recall with delight after taking his departure, the pressure of the question and appreciate what a source of gratification his presence had been to the ladies and gentlemen whom he had honored by his presence.

He said he thought physicians had a duty to perform to the state which was greater than that of any other citizen. In earlier days, the physician, the doctor and the lawyer were the three great men of every community. But the physician was closer to the people than any of them. The practitioner was a physician first and a citizen afterward. It was a pleasure to welcome the guest of the evening, who typified in his own life and services, the duty which physicians owed to the state and their fellow citizens.

Judge Harris. Judge T. W. Harris was the next speaker. He regretted, he said, being called on to make a speech, as that was not one of the essentials of his position. He created heavy laughter when he declared that he was sorry Judge Melvin could not be present, because it was that gentleman who was expected to do the talking, while himself and Judge Waste and the other judges were expected to work.

HEARTS OF THE PEOPLE. The judge stated that physicians get nearer to the hearts of the people than

COMET HOLDS WORLD'S RECORD



The Comet Breaking the World's Record for Two Miles on a Circular Track.

California Stock Car Breaks Record Held by Racer

(BY ELIZABETH GREGG.)
After the Santa River races were over and the winners had returned to town with their trophies, the big event of the meet came to light. It was known that in making a mile in fifty-eight seconds, the world's record for a car of its weight on a circular track was 1:58.4. This record had been made in 1906 on the Harlem track in Chicago by Carl Fisher, driving an eight-cylinder Chrysler racer. It is especially interesting to note this triumph of the Comet, for it is a stock car and has been a record held for two years by a specially constructed racing machine. Mr. Hillman and family have returned from a very successful trip through Northern California. They used their "Hillman" touring car. Two very handsome Renault cars have been received, one a large seven-passenger touring car and the other a runabout. The latter one was sold to W. L. Hillman soon after its arrival. J. W. Colby, the San Francisco contractor, had a peculiar experience several days ago. While returning from Santa county in his Buick runabout he overtook a coyote. Mr. Colby blew his horn repeatedly and expected the coyote to give him the road, but it did not. In consequence the coyote came home in the runabout with Mr. Colby, and a new use is found for the automobile. The Maxwell-Brisson Company reports the following sales: H. H. Harkfield & Co., Linderoth, a runabout; W. J. Mandix of Sacramento, a model H Maxwell touring car and a two-cylinder touring car to J. H. Arnold of Woodland. There is a heavier amount of touring this year than has been the case during any year of automobile history. The roads are full of touring parties abroad and throughout the United States. Accessory dealers, for this reason, do not complain of any depression in business. Hazlett is telling who has charge of the northern branch of the Auto Vehicle Company of Los Angeles, left today for that city to be present at a meeting of the selling agents of the Auto Vehicle Company. The purpose of the meeting is to look over the new models which have just been turned out, and to make plans for the coming season. Mr. Pelton will spend one day in Fresno, en route, looking after the Tourist agency in that place. The California Promotion Committee has sent out letters to motorists all over the country, stating that all persons who intend at some time to make an automobile trip in California will be supplied with photographs, road maps, printed matter, guides and other information free of charge. The information will be furnished on a letter of inquiry sent to the California Promotion Committee, California building, Union square, San Francisco. Robert Graves, whose entry of a Mercedes car was the first received for this year's Vanderbilt Cup race, arrived in New York from Europe this week. He confirmed the report that he had purchased while in Paris the Grand Prix Mercedes, which Edlenschlager drove to victory on July 7. Mrs. Charles Menethrop has recently purchased a Ford runabout. The Automobile Club of America, at the former location of the Diamond Rubber Co., is one of the best and best equipped in the United States. Since its purchase from the Diamond Rubber Co., the most modern methods known to the vulcanizing trade have been adopted, and any make of tire is now repaired and guaranteed. Their motto is, "When our roads are worn out their cost has been forgotten."

WANTED TO SPEAK TO PRESIDENT

Italian Workingman Acts Very Strangely in Vain Attempt to Approach Roosevelt in N. Y. Town.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—President Roosevelt and party arrived at Hoboken on a special train over the Lackawanna at 7:55 o'clock this morning from South Columbia, New York. The party boarded the yacht Sylph, which at once started for Oyster Bay. While the President and his party were walking through the trainshed, an Italian workingman, whose name was not ascertained, attempted to overtake the President's party. A railroad policeman intercepted the man, who declared that he wanted to speak to the President. "You'll not see the President," said the policeman. "You stay right here." The man then abandoned the attempt and disappeared in the crowd.

LOVING CUP FOR JUDGE TAFT

Wife and Sons Will Also Get Similar Gifts From the Guests of Hot Springs Hotel.

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Aug. 27.—Judge Taft is to be presented with a loving cup tonight by the guests of the Homestead Hotel. The presentation ceremony is to be made by the juvenile members of the golf body, after a special dinner. Loving cups are also to be presented to Mrs. Taft and to Charlie Taft, 11-year-old son. The ceremonies are to follow an illustrated lecture by Mr. McFadden, in which fifty or more photographs of Judge Taft in and about the hotel will be shown. Judge Taft's of Tennessee will be presiding officer for the occasion. The presentation to Mrs. Taft will be by Mrs. J. L. Blackburn of Kentucky, and Charlie by twelve little girls, dressed in white.

29 VICTIMS IN MINE HORROR

Terrible Scenes When Bodies of Unfortunate Miners Are Removed From Depths of Earth.

McAlester, Okla., Aug. 27.—When the rescuer had completed their work at the Halloway-Ola coal mine No. 1, at Halloway, 14 miles east of here, where a disastrous explosion occurred yesterday, 29 bodies had been removed. The last body was taken out at an early hour this morning. It is now believed that the last man has been accounted for, and that there are no other bodies in the mine. When the mine was finally cleared of smoke late yesterday 19 of the dead miners were found with five mules huddled together in one of the entrances a mile from the opening. They had started toward the fire instead of making a detour. Most of the bodies of the dead miners will be interred today.



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